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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE WEST.

The east is beginning to discover the west, slowly it is true, and with a certain reluctance and an air of patronage. The easterner is prone to talk about "alfalfa" statesmanship and regard with suspicion the ideas that breed so plentiful in the free air of the broad west, but the facts of the situation compel him to the conviction that there is movement and life, while the east is being dragged along, straggling and protesting, at the tail of the procession. Colonel George Harvey of Harper's Weekly, who has been foremost among the eastern protestants against western ideas, has been among us recently to see what could be done about it and has returned to New York converted. Here are some of the things he discovered:

That there is a keener civic pride in the west than in the east.
That there is less drunkenness and profanity.
That the men, though less accurately informed, are broader minded.
That refinement in manners and conversation is marked.
That the most subtle humor is quickly perceived and appreciated.
That achievement is valued more than money.
That the best music is known and admired.
That woman suffrage is a success.
That the new architecture is charming and that the cities are being rebuilt for permanence, with wide streets, parks and other fine features.
That travel is comfortable, the people are hopeful and hospitable and jealousy of the east is no longer prevalent.

We are not so black in the west as we have been painted in the east. Indeed, Colonel Harvey is free to say that the people of his environment should "go west," not necessarily to "grow up with the country," as Horace Greely advised forty years ago, but for enlargement of vision. The west has an intellectual message for the east. It is a notable conversion and reversal of judgment to spring from one short visit to Nevada. The free air of the bounding commonwealth is tonic for a jaded intellect. When the statesman feels the bodily strain of his arduous labors he goes to Muldoon's. When he would renew the youth of his ideas let him visit Nevada, like Mrs. Elinor Glyn and Colonel Harvey. They will find nothing effete in that rarified atmosphere.—San Francisco Call.

PARIS MURDER
IS CLEARED UP

PARIS, July 22.—One of the murder mysteries of Paris was cleared up tonight by the confession, under skillful questioning, of Courtois, the footman arrested yesterday on the charge of being implicated in the murder of Auguste Remy, a wealthy retired banker, who was stabbed to death on June 6 in this city. Jewelry belonging to the banker was found in the footman's possession and when he was first arrested he denied having been in any way connected with the murder, asserting that he found the jewelry, together with a sum of money, hidden in the cellar of the banker's home, and having spent the money was afraid to speak of the jewelry.

In his confession today Courtois described to the police how he and the butler, Renard, who was arrested several weeks ago on a charge of complicity in the murder, crept into the banker's room in the middle of the night and how Renard stabbed the banker to death while Courtois held him on the bed. Afterward they washed the bloodstains from their hands and clothing and took the money and jewelry from their victim's room. They then arranged the house to give the impression that the crime had been committed by burglars.

HUSBAND SHOT
IN A SCUFFLE

RAWHIDE, July 22.—Oliver Henry Lefevre, while under the influence of liquor last night, went home, and taking his revolver from a shelf, announced that he was going to shoot out the lights.

His wife attempted to dissuade him and struggled with him. In the struggle the weapon was discharged and the bullet lodged in the man's groin, inflicting a fatal wound. Lefevre died at an early hour this morning, exonerating his wife, who had been placed under arrest before he died.

There was considerable of a stir over the affair, the impression being that the man had been killed by his wife. Lefevre enjoyed a good reputation except when drinking, and then was said to be a dangerous man. The couple had been married twenty years and were conducting a fruit and vegetable store.

The coroner's jury exonerated the woman this afternoon, but she was held for trial with the sum of \$500. There is no doubt that she will be acquitted.

HEROIC RESCUE BY
RAWHIDE FIREMEN

RAWHIDE, July 22.—Fire here this evening destroyed the homes of Judge Cochran and W. B. Nichols at the foot of Hooligan hill. Luckily, but little wind was blowing or considerable property would have been destroyed. As it was, only the efforts of the fire department saved a great deal of destruction. Everybody took a hand helping the fire boys, and worked like badgers.

Mrs. Nichols had been out visiting and had left her little child in the house. When the mother reached the scene the house was burning and she screamed hysterically that her baby was in the house. The next moment the firemen broke through the door against the flames, and dragged the child with her bed and all, into the open. The little one seemed not disturbed by her environment and laughed gleefully at her rescuers.

FINDS WIFE DEAD.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—Mrs. Patrick Hare, aged 24, visited neighbors and partook freely of drink. Her husband stayed at home and went to bed. When he awoke in the morning he found his wife dead, seated on a chair tilted against the door jamb.

FIGHT TO THE DEATH.

PITTSBURG, July 22.—Mrs. C. A. Greene was awarded 6 1-4 cents damages from Anna Kiefer, president of the Friday Afternoon club, and its members by a jury. Mrs. Kiefer has retained a lawyer to force Mrs. Greene to pay back the amount.

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PRINCE
LANDS IN
CANADAGREAT OVATION GIVEN SON OF
EDWARD ON ARRIVAL IN
QUEBEC.

(By Associated Press.)

QUEBEC, July 22.—The Prince of Wales landed from a British warship today amid a deafening roar of guns from an international fleet of Great Britain, France and American warships and the tumultuous demonstrations of 50,000 persons massed upon the wharves and heights of the city. The prince was welcomed ashore by Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, Premier Laurier and assembled dignitaries, flanked by thousands of soldiers and a multitude of people. Premier Laurier delivered to the prince an address of welcome in which he assured him of the unswerving loyalty and devotion of Canada to the king and its united resolution to promote the interests of the empire. The prince responded, speaking in both English and French, and extending the good wishes of his royal father to Canada and making a pleasant allusion to the loyalty of the English and French Canadians alike.

FLEET ON WAY
TO NEW ZEALAND

(By Associated Press.)

HONOLULU, July 22.—The Atlantic battleships bade adieu today to the hospitable shores of Hawaii. At 2:30 p. m. the flagship Connecticut left her wharf and steamed outside the harbor entrance where the fleet assembled preparatory to weighing anchor at 6 o'clock tonight and sailing away to Auckland, New Zealand, the next point on its world itinerary, where it is due to arrive August 8. The Minnesota did not accompany the fleet tonight, but will remain in port until a mail steamer from San Francisco arrives, and will then overtake the fleet before reaching Auckland. On the eve of departure Rear Admiral Sperry returned formal thanks to the people of Honolulu for their treatment of officers and men.

TAFT IS ON WAY
TO OYSTER BAY

(By Associated Press.)

HOT SPRINGS, Va., July 22.—Judge Taft left here tonight for Oyster Bay to confer with President Roosevelt concerning his coming speech accepting the presidential nomination. He will arrive at Sagamore Hill tomorrow afternoon. Representative Herbert Parsons of New York arrived this morning and was in conference with the judge throughout the day. Frank Kellogg was present and the work on hand was a revision of the Cincinnati speech. During the conference news of the reversal of Judge Landis' decision in the Standard oil rebate case was received, but aside evincing a desire to get the details of the decision no comment was indulged in by Taft or his conferees.

STRIKE BREAKERS ARRIVE.

(By Associated Press.)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 22.—Two train loads of imported laborers and strike breakers were placed in the mines today in the Birmingham district, with a military escort. There was not the least interference on the part of strikers or sympathizers.

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